

Community Group Question Guide

Matthew 24:45-25:13 – What's A Christian To Do?

To begin, read Matthew 24:45-25:13

- discuss & nominate one word summaries for the Servant-In-Charge parable (i.e. in ONE word, what's it all about?) Defend your nominations. Vote for a winner.
- look carefully at the scene Jesus describes. What is the main duty of the chief servant selected by the master? Identify the *what* and *when* of the chief servant's duties.
- what word occurs six times in this parable?
- what does that word tell you about the point of the story?
- as a result, how does this parable inform you of what Jesus is looking for from his followers?
- how important is this to Jesus?
- discuss & nominate one word summaries for the 10 Virgin parable. Defend your nominations. Vote for a winner.
- look carefully at the scene. What is the main "duty" of the women?
- what two words occur four times in this parable?
- what do these words tell you about the point of the story?
- as a result, how does this parable inform you of what Jesus is looking for from his followers?
- how important is this to Jesus?
- Do these parables challenge you personally? Do they change your thinking? Your motivations? If so, how?